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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 14, 2008, kindly reconsider the claims in view of the following remarks. Claims 11 - 18 are pending. No claim amendments are made.